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	A check in the amount of \$ is enclosed.
	Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by verified statement previously submitted.
[XX]	Other: SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT FORM PTO-1449 AND CITED REFERENCES.
[XXXX]	Please charge any deficiencies or credit any overpayment in the enclosed fees to Deposit Account No. 50-0413.
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Dear Sir:

Pursuant to the obligations of candor and good faith imposed by 37 C.F.R 1.56, the documents listed on the attached PTO-1449 are hereby disclosed.

No representation is intended to be made hereby that any of the cited references establishes, by itself or in combination with other information, a prima facie case of unpatentability of any claim of the present case.

Respectfully submitted,

Robert K. Rowe et al.

By their attorney

Dated: 11/26/01

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AA	6,191,860	02/20/2001	Klinger et al.						
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